

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges  
Year-End Summary Report  
Based On Number of Reported Cases  
January - December 2001**

Juvenile Court **FENTRESS**  
Court Number **25**

January - December 2001                      206 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting                                      161 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges**                      *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
8	OR	3.60% Assault
0	OR	0.00% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Burglary
12	OR	5.41% Theft of Property
1	OR	0.45% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
1	OR	0.45% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
5	OR	2.25% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00% Sale of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Other Drug Offenses
7	OR	3.15% Possession of Controlled Substances
1	OR	0.45% Criminal Attempt
0	OR	0.00% Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	OR	0.00% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
0	OR	0.00% Evading Arrest
2	OR	0.90% Escape
0	OR	0.00% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
20	OR	9.01% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	OR	0.00% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00% Filing a False Police Report
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Impersonation
10	OR	4.50% Disorderly Conduct
2	OR	0.90% Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
73	OR	32.88% Traffic
0	OR	0.00% Local Ordinances
1	OR	0.45% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00% Contempt of Court
6	OR	2.70% Violation of Probation
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Aftercare
13	OR	5.86% Unruly Behavior
27	OR	12.16% Truancy
0	OR	0.00% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
26	OR	11.71% Possession of Tobacco Products
4	OR	1.80% Violation of a Valid Court Order
3	OR	1.35% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Dependency/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.00% Custody
0	OR	0.00% Visitation
0	OR	0.00% Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
0	OR	0.00% Other

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222	OR	100.00% Total
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Of the 206 Cases, There Were

222 Referral Sources

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**Referral Source**

138	OR	62.2% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
3	OR	1.4% Were Referred By Parents
1	OR	0.5% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
70	OR	31.5% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
2	OR	0.9% Were Referred By Court Staff
3	OR	1.4% Were Referred By Social Agency
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other Court
5	OR	2.3% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Other
222	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 206 Cases, There Were 222 Intake Actions  
**Intake Actions**

170	OR	76.6% Petition Filed
0	OR	0.0% Motion Filed
52	OR	23.4% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
222	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 206 Cases:

#### Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
206	OR	100.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
206	OR	100.0% Total

#### Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

0	OR	0.0% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
206	OR	100.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
206	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

161 Children

#### Age of Child At Referral

2	OR	1.2% Birth Through Age 10
5	OR	3.1% Ages 11 Through 12
16	OR	9.9% Ages 13 Through 14
79	OR	49.1% Ages 15 Through 16
58	OR	36.0% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
1	OR	0.6% Unknown/Not Reported
161	OR	100.0% Total

#### Sex of Child

106	OR	65.8% Male
55	OR	34.2% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
161	OR	100.0% Total

#### Race of Child

156	OR	96.9% White
5	OR	3.1% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
0	OR	0.0% Mixed Race
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
161	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 161 Children Referred

#### Hispanic Origin

1	OR	0.6% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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#### Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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73	OR	45.3% Living With Both Biological Parents
11	OR	6.8% Living With Father And Stepmother
10	OR	6.2% Living With Mother And Stepfather

46	OR	28.6% Living With Mother
8	OR	5.0% Living With Father
7	OR	4.3% Living With Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Living With Adoptive Parents
1	OR	0.6% Living With Foster Family
1	OR	0.6% Living In A Group Home
1	OR	0.6% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
3	OR	1.9% Living Independently
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Other
161	OR	100.0% Total

#### School Enrollment of Child

148	OR	91.9% Were Enrolled In School
13	OR	8.1% Were Not Enrolled In School
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
161	OR	100.0% Total

#### Last Grade Completed By Child

0	OR	0.0% Too Young For School
0	OR	0.0% Pre-School
0	OR	0.0% Finished Kindergarten
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 1
1	OR	0.6% Finished Grade 2
1	OR	0.6% Finished Grade 3
1	OR	0.6% Finished Grade 4
3	OR	1.9% Finished Grade 5
2	OR	1.2% Finished Grade 6
10	OR	6.2% Finished Grade 7
6	OR	3.7% Finished Grade 8
20	OR	12.4% Finished Grade 9
79	OR	49.1% Finished Grade 10
37	OR	23.0% Finished Grade 11
1	OR	0.6% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
0	OR	0.0% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
161	OR	100.0% Total

#### Enrolled In Special Education

8	OR	5.0% Were Enrolled In Special Education
153	OR	95.0% Not Enrolled In Special Education
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
161	OR	100.0% Total

The Following Are The 295 Specific **Case Outcomes**

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Each Case May Have Resulted In More Than One Outcome;

Therefore The Number Of Total Outcomes May Be Greater Than The Total Number Of Cases

14	OR	4.75% Case Dismissed
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1	OR	0.34% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
10	OR	3.39% Warned/Counseled
10	OR	3.39% Held Open For Review
0	OR	0.00% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
22	OR	7.46% Probation To Parents
6	OR	2.03% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
1	OR	0.34% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
6	OR	2.03% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
12	OR	4.07% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
13	OR	4.41% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
21	OR	7.12% Fine
87	OR	29.49% Public Service
2	OR	0.68% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
0	OR	0.00% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
1	OR	0.34% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
9	OR	3.05% DCS Commitment/Custody
1	OR	0.34% DCS Commitment - Suspended
7	OR	2.37% DCS Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% Other Intensive Probation
19	OR	6.44% DCS Probation
20	OR	6.78% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
6	OR	2.03% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated

0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
24	OR	8.14% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Continued
3	OR	1.02% Custody Changed
0	OR	0.00% Custody Unchanged

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0	OR	0.00% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
0	OR	0.00% Other
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295	OR	100.00% Total
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#### Disposed By

Of the 222 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

222	OR	100.0% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
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222	OR	100.0% Total
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Of The 206 Cases Disposed,  
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 222 Referral Reasons Was:

13	OR	5.9% Dismissed
1	OR	0.5% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
55	OR	24.8% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
103	OR	46.4% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
9	OR	4.1% Informal Adjustment
40	OR	18.0% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
1	OR	0.5% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
0	OR	0.0% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
0	OR	0.0% Case Held Open
0	OR	0.0% Other
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222	OR	100.0% Total
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